

FRENCH AND ENGLISH AGREE UPON FINANCIAL DRIVES

Meeting at Calais Results in Complete Settlement on All Foreign Payments and Exchanges.

London, Aug. 26.—The premiers of Great Britain and France, the finance ministers of the two nations, and representatives of their financial and kindred interests met at Calais Thursday and reached an agreement on important financial matters, it was officially announced yesterday.

"A conference was held Thursday at Calais," says the statement, "between the French and British governments. A complete agreement was reached on all subjects with which the conference dealt. An arrangement was concluded regarding payments abroad and the maintenance of exchange between the two countries."

"The French government was represented by M. Briand, president of the council of ministers; M. Ribot, minister of finance, accompanied by M. Poincaré, governor of the Bank of France, and M. Marjorie and O. Homborg."

GERMANY READY FOR "WAR AFTER WAR"

Has Many Large Steamers to Liberate with Great Rapidity to Compete in World's Carrying Trade.

Copenhagen (via London), Aug. 26.—Germany is now ready for the competition on the sea which will take place after the war, declares Philip Heineken, director of the North German Lloyd steamship line, in an interview in the Politiken yesterday. Every ship destroyed during the war has been replaced, he said, and the North German Lloyd line has built four new passenger steamers, which have been named the Zeppelin, Hindenburg, Columbus and München. The company, he added, also intends to build a large number of 4,000-ton steamers of a uniform type, in order that when the war is over, the company may send out a swarm of steamers with great rapidity.

The submarines Deutschland and Bremen, said Herr Heineken, would not be used after the war, as the cost of their operation was too great.

COLONEL HARVEY FOR HUGHES.

The Original Wilson Man Turns His Back on the President.

New York, Aug. 26.—Colonel George Harvey, the original Wilson man and for years a friend of the president, is for the election of Charles E. Hughes. An announcement of this is expected from the editor when he returns from his vacation in Canada. To his friends Mr. Harvey has expressed his desire to see the Republican candidate victorious. It was said Thursday that he would head a committee of prominent Democrats anxious to help Hughes.

SCROFULA AND ALL HUMORS GIVE WAY

There are many things learned from experience and observation that the older generation should impress upon the younger. Among them is the fact that scrofula and other humors are most successfully treated with Hood's Sarsaparilla. This great medicine is a peculiar combination of remarkably effective blood-purifying and health-giving roots, bark and herbs, and has been tested for 40 years. Get it to-day.—Adv.

"GOOD OLD DAYS" SOON, SAYS GALLINGER

"We Conservatives" in the Senate Lament Progressives Again.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 26.—A swing back to the good old days of Republicanism, high protection, Joseph G. Cannon and Nelson W. Aldrich was prophesied in the Senate yesterday by Senator Gallinger, in a speech denouncing the Democratic revenue bill. Gallinger said that the advocacy of the present revenue bill by "free traders" is proof to the American people of the "utter failure of any system that does not include a high protective tariff."

He applied sarcasm to the Progressive revolt of a few years ago, which resulted in the overthrow of Cannon and Aldrich. "Remarkable as it may seem," he declared, "a few men who had been and even called themselves Republicans went about the country making speeches that were used with great effect by Democrats on the stump. Never before had a people supposed to be so staid, dignified and conservative like ourselves been so carried off their feet by falsehoods. Certain Republicans began to cast about for political Jonahs. They declared 'Cannonism must go.' Then they selected as Mr. Cannon's confederate Nelson W. Aldrich. And I regret to say many of those who knew better assisted in discrediting these men, hoping thereby to persuade the country that they were trying to purify the Republican party."

"It was not the flatfooted, squaretoed declaration of unabated allegiance we conservatives were accustomed to. And for the first time the Republican party entered into a campaign of defense and apology."

MILLIONS VANISH.

Chicago Recluse Said to Have Lost Great Fortune.

Chicago, Aug. 26.—Edward W. Morrison, the 80-year-old recluse, whose vanished millions are a subject of investigation before Judge Landis in the United States district court was declared yesterday to have lost property valued at \$3,000,000 to a coterie of strange characters within the last 20 years. Search of the recluse's quaint old two-story home in which it was thought he had concealed vast sums of money revealed \$117,333 in cash and a bunch of old papers, cancelled checks and notes. Under the terms of the will left by Morrison's father, James M. Morrison, the entire estate would go to the city of Chicago if the son died childless.

HUGHES WANTS TO VISIT CAMPS

Would Do a Little Campaigning Among Troops

PLANS LONG ITINERARY

He Will Close the Canvass at Madison Square Garden

Laramie, Wyo., Aug. 26.—Save for a few days of rest at Bridgehampton, L. J. immediately after his present trip, Charles E. Hughes will be continuously on speaking tours from now until election time. According to tentative plans which have been forwarded to the candidate, Mr. Hughes will set a new record in campaigning if he is physically fit to follow out the itinerary prepared for him.

Yesterday the ex-governor thought he would be able to go through, because he was feeling so well. It is the nominee's hope that he will be known by sight to a large part of the voters of the United States. By the time he has finished his present trip Mr. Hughes estimates that he will have been heard by about 1,000,000 persons.

As arranged yesterday, the nominee will conclude his present tour with a speech at the New York state fair at Syracuse on grange day, Sept. 11. He will then return direct to Bridgehampton, remaining there not more than three days before swinging out again. En route from Kentucky to Maine Mr. Hughes will have a 30-minute wait between trains at Cincinnati on Sept. 6, Ohio Republicans are endeavoring to arrange for a mass meeting at the railroad station.

The first speech during Mr. Hughes' invasion of the down east territory will be made, according to plans, at York Harbor on the afternoon of Sept. 7. That night he will speak at Portland. On Sept. 8 it is planned to have him speak at Lewiston in the morning, at Waterville in the afternoon and at Bangor at night. This would leave him three days before speaking at Syracuse on the 11th. It is probable the two days will be taken up by a swing into Massachusetts and Connecticut.

On Nov. 4, the Saturday night before election, the nominee will finish his campaign by addressing a mass meeting in Madison Square Garden in New York City.

Mr. Hughes is exceedingly anxious to make a visit also to the Texas border and possibly campaign a little among the soldiers.

The candidate's one set speech of yesterday was scheduled for Cheyenne late yesterday afternoon, but he made a couple of brief talks at various smaller cities on the way. The theme on which he dwelt with most emphasis was the necessity for the unification of effort and co-operation in government.

The slogan, "America first and America efficient," seems to have made a hit with western Republicans. This, the tariff and Mexico were the subjects of Mr. Hughes' addresses at Salt Lake City Thursday night. He spoke in the Mormon tabernacle. He is the third candidate for president of the United States to have this distinction in recent years.

ARMY BILL AGAIN GOES TO PRESIDENT

Revised Articles of War Approved by Secretary Baker Included—Hay Makes No Fight.

Washington, Aug. 26.—The army appropriation bill vetoed by President Wilson because of provisions in its revision of the articles of war, was accepted by the House yesterday with a revision approved by the war department, and now goes again to the president for his signature. Chairman Hay of the military committee, author of the provision which drew the veto, made no fight.

TO HERD MOOSE FOR HUGHES

Harold L. Ickes of Illinois Begins Campaign for Progressive Votes in West.

Chicago, Aug. 26.—Active work to bring all Progressives in the western states back into the Republican ranks to aid in the election of Hughes and Fairbanks, was begun Thursday by Harold L. Ickes of Illinois, in charge of the work at western Republican national campaign headquarters of organizing the Progressive vote.

Within a week Progressive leaders in every state between Ohio and the Pacific coast will be asked to make a detailed report on local conditions. Where sharp difference of opinion is found to exist between the Republican leaders and Progressives because of the division of the past, efforts toward practical conciliation will be made. The plan is to send influential Progressives into these states to act as mediators and bring the factions together. Another step planned is to send well known Progressive speakers into every district where a large vote was cast for Roosevelt in 1912.

YEAR'S EXPORTS \$4,511,000,000

Shipments of \$445,000,000 in July New Record for That Month.

Washington, Aug. 26.—Exports during July totaled \$445,000,000—a record for July, although the figures are \$19,000,000 below the June exports. Imports were \$183,000,000, a falling off of \$63,000,000, compared with June. Exports for the year ending with July totaled \$4,511,000,000, compared with \$2,883,000,000 the preceding year, the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce announced.

23 HURT IN REAR-END CRASH

Trolley Cars in Collision Near Springfield, Mass.

Springfield, Mass., Aug. 26.—Twenty-three persons were injured in a rear-end trolley collision on the Birchen Bend line in Indian Orchard early yesterday. The most seriously injured were taken to Ludlow hospital.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results.

At Philadelphia—(1st game) Cleveland 13, Philadelphia 9; (2d game) Cleveland 10, Philadelphia 2.

At Washington—Washington 5, Chicago 2.

At New York—St. Louis 5, New York 2.

At Boston—Detroit 2, Boston 1.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Boston	70	48	.593
St. Louis	66	56	.541
Detroit	66	56	.541
New York	64	55	.538
Chicago	63	56	.527
Cleveland	63	56	.527
Washington	57	60	.487
Philadelphia	26	91	.215

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results.

At St. Louis—St. Louis 6, Philadelphia 5.

At Chicago—Boston 1, Chicago 0.

At Cincinnati—Brooklyn 3, Cincinnati 2.

At Pittsburgh—New York 6, Pittsburgh 2 (11 innings).

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Brooklyn	69	42	.622
Boston	64	42	.604
Philadelphia	65	47	.580
New York	54	57	.486
Pittsburgh	52	60	.464
St. Louis	53	65	.449
Chicago	52	65	.444
Cincinnati	44	75	.370

BASEBALL BRIEFS

According to Eddie Ainsmith, the Washington catcher, Walter Johnson is developing a spitball delivery. Can it be, the rumors that have been circulating this year that Johnson's speed is slowing up. Batters who have been facing him this year say that the old-time zip is not in his twirling this season that has been in season's past. If this is a fact, the old fire ball king must be doing something to prepare himself for old age, as Mathewson did when he developed his fade-away.

Pitcher Jack Nabors of the Athletics won his second game of the season on Thursday against the Indians in the first game of a doubleheader. It was the Cleveland's eighth straight defeat but they came back in the second game and won by a score of 4 to 2.

Games to play in the American league are: Boston 37, Chicago 34, New York 36, St. Louis 33, Detroit 33, Cleveland 35, Washington 38. If Boston wins her majority, 19 and loses 18, she will have won 89 and lost 65. To tie, Chicago must win 24 and lose 10; New York must win 24 and lose 11; St. Louis must win 24 and lose 9; Cleveland must win 26 and lose 9.

Herb Hunter, the Melrose boy at present on the Giants' roster, has risen to the big leagues within a season where other men have to grind away in the bushes for years in some instances before they reach the big show. Hunter has played in less than 100 contests. None of the teams will waive on his services, although McGraw would like to farm him out to the International league for a while.

The New York Yankees are making their big drive without the services of J. Franklin Baker. They are saving his big gun in reserve.

Manager Griffith of the Washington club was notified Thursday that the game played Wednesday in which St. Louis was beaten by a score of 4 to 2 had been protested by Pres. Phil Ball of St. Louis because the umpires knew that the full nine innings could not be played before darkness. Manager Jones protested before the game was started but the umpires ruled that the game should be played.

Hack Spencer of the Tigers seems to be handling the ball in fine style. Spencer was formerly with the Red Sox.

It was announced yesterday that Christy Mathewson had consented to play his first game with the Cincinnati team against the Chicago Cubs at Chicago on Sept. 4, when the opposing pitcher will be Miner Brown of the Cubs. Manager Mathewson also announced that he had signed an outfielder by the name of Paul Smith of the Montreal team in the International league.

Barre fans, who have nothing else to do this afternoon, will have a chance to see the Montpelier and Rutland teams of the Vermont state league battle on the Intercity grounds. The Montpelier team has been showing some great ball in the last few games played and with either Gallagher or Harris in the box against the mighty Ero, there ought to be a fast game in progress.

FEARS FOR GREAT BEAR

Millionaire's Power Boat Is Week Overdue at Nome.

Nome, Alaska, Aug. 26.—Continued anxiety is shown here over the non-arrival of the power schooner Great Bear, bearing John Barden, the Chicago millionaire sportsman and his party, now a week overdue.

A storm has been raging over this section of Behring sea more than a week.

CARRANZA'S ENVOYS COMING

Members of Joint Commission Receive Instructions.

Mexico City, Aug. 26.—The Mexican members of the Mexican-American commission that will discuss controversies between the two nations received their final instructions from Gen. Carranza yesterday and will start for the United States to-day.

Special Agent Rodgers has informed Foreign Secretary Aguilar that the first preliminary meeting of the joint commission will be held at the Hotel Biltmore in New York on Sept. 4.

PAT MORAN, MANAGER

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Sickness lowers earning capacity?

The U. S. public health service is the nation's first line of defense against disease?

Disease is the nation's greatest burden?

Sunlight and sanitation, not silks and satins, make better babies?

Low wages favor high disease rates?

A female fly lays an average of 120 eggs at a time?

COTTON ADVANCES ABOUT \$2 PER BALE

Jump Result of Most Active and Excited Trading Since Outbreak of European War.

New York, Aug. 26.—On the most active and excited trading since the outbreak of the European war, the cotton market yesterday recorded an advance of approximately \$2 a bale. Apprehensions of a depreciated crop appeared to increase because of the continued drought in the southwest and private reports indicated severe deterioration of the product along the Eastern gulf section. A substantial advance in Liverpool, owing to fears abroad of a bullish crop report from Washington next week, caused an initial jump of about \$1.50 per bale in this market.

G. A. R. ENCAMPMENT READY

Chief Executive Officers in Kansas for the Opening Day.

Kansas City, Mo., Aug. 26.—Chief executive officers of the Grand Army of the Republic arrived in Kansas City yesterday for the annual encampment of the veterans' organizations, which opened to-day. Members of the local committee said yesterday the encampment would be attended by more than 40,000 persons.

Decorators were busy putting up flags and bunting in honor of the old soldiers and reviewing stands along the route of the annual parade were being built.

TO RATIFY TREATY.

Senate Likely to Act Despite the Danish Rejection.

Washington, Aug. 26.—Rejection by the Danish upper house of Parliament of the proposal to sell the Danish West Indies to the United States will not delay efforts here to ratify as soon as possible the treaty providing for the purchase of the islands.

Announcement to this effect was made Thursday night by Senator Stone, chairman of the Senate foreign relations committee. A meeting of the committee was called yesterday to further consider the proposed treaty.

MARSHALL NOTIFIED SEPT. 14.

Vice-President Will Begin Speaking Engagements in Kentucky Sept. 9.

Washington, Aug. 26.—Vice-President Marshall will be notified formally of his re-nomination Sept. 1 at Indianapolis and will begin his speaking engagements Sept. 9, at Winchester, Ky. The vice-president yesterday discussed campaign plans with President Wilson.

Hold Shipping Bill.

Washington, Aug. 26.—Speaker Clark, citing many precedents, yesterday ruled down an attempt of Representative Green of Massachusetts to send the administration ship bill back to the merchant marine committee instead of keeping it on the speaker's table for action when the Democrats get a quorum. The bill is awaiting House acceptance of Senate amendments and Representative Green seeks to block its passage.

THE WAYS OF FATE

By M. QUAD
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Miss Dorothy Campbell knew that it had rained and frozen during the night. She opened the door and stepped out to find that the top stone step was still a glare. Miss Dorothy was failing and screaming when a male pedestrian who happened to be passing at that moment, rushed part way up the steps and received her in his arms. The shock landed both of them on the walk, but on their feet and they suffered no injury.

"You will excuse me, miss," said the man as he raised his hat.

"Not only excuse, but thank you," was the reply.

"And you were going out without rubbers?" he queried.

"I never wear them."

"You run a terrible risk such a day as today."

"Oh, I am pretty surefooted," she laughed as she noticed that he had provided himself with a pair. "Thanks again."

As Miss Dorothy was moving away she noticed that her rescuer was a man of perhaps twenty-five, with a professional look about him. He had dark hair and eyes and a smile that was good nature itself. He was still standing, and she realized that he would watch her until she had crossed the street, and, though there was ice under her feet, she stepped out boldly. She saw two or three pedestrians slipping and falling, but she would take no warning. By sheer good luck she reached the destination she had set out for, and in time she started to make her way home. She had made half the distance when a rough neck of a man in passing her seemed to give her his elbow with intent to make her fall, and fall she did. But Miss Dorothy didn't go right down amid the slush. A pair of strong arms prevented her, and as she was lifted on her feet again she turned to find the man who had saved her before.

"Why—you—"

"Yes," he smiled. "I was not following you to act the part of a guardian, but I had to come back this way and had only just seen you when the big loafer brought about the collision. I was near enough to save you from a fall."

"And I owe you my thanks again," she said.

It was about the middle of the next May, and there were early roses in bud, and Miss Dorothy Campbell arrived at a little country railroad station twenty miles out of the big city. She had come down to pay her sister a brief visit, and they were to meet her at the station with an auto. The auto had not arrived yet, and the girl was standing on the platform, waiting.

"Look out! Look out!" shouted a dozen voices in chorus, and then there was a mad scramble among those on the platform. One of the freight cars being pushed along by the locomotive had partly left the rail and broken loose from the train, and it would be almost sure to bump into the platform.

Miss Dorothy was about the only one in the crowd who did not see the danger. Most of them had got away, and she was still standing and wondering, when an arm went around her waist and she was lifted up and half carried and half dragged to the far end of the platform and thence half way across a street. She turned to find "that man." He lifted his hat and calmly explained:

"I have come down here to visit my brother, who is to meet me here. I was on the car with you, but you did not see me. I am glad to have been of service to you. Three or four people have been hurt and will require the aid of a surgeon. You, doubtless, have friends coming to meet you. Will you excuse me while I go and see what I can do for those who have been injured? I am a physician, you know."

Just then her sister came up in the auto and called to her. So she and the young man had met once more, though she had never expected to see him again.

After she recovered her composure and had been asked a dozen times over for the particulars of the incident, she related her whole story from the beginning.

A week passed away. If Dr. Roy Goodsend took any measures to discover where the young lady was stopping, no one but his brother knew. If Miss Dorothy Campbell was rather anxious to find where the doctor was located she kept it to herself, but Fate solved the problem. In walking about her sister's gardens Miss Dorothy stepped in a hole and fell forward and

broke an arm. A telephone call was sent out over the country neighborhood for a doctor—and a doctor that could come with a rush. Half an hour later Dr. Roy Goodsend appeared at the house, and in less than an hour the broken bone was set and splinted and bandaged, and about all he said of any consequence before he took his departure was:

"I was sorry I was not at hand to catch you as you fell. Really, Miss Campbell, you seem to need the care of a guardian."

Before the broken bone had completely knitted Dr. Roy Goodsend had something to say. He sat amidst the roses climbing over the veranda. He hadn't a wife and two or three children, but wanted them, and Miss Dorothy was sensible enough to let him rescue her for the fourth time.

FAST AREA OF TEXAS.

Some of the Magnificent Distances in the Lone Star State.

Those who live in the east and north have little or no conception of the magnificence of distances in Texas. Here are just a few figures that will help to illustrate the vastness of area of the Lone Star State.

The distance from Houston to El Paso by the nearest rail route is 833 miles, which is only 114 miles less than the distance from New York to Chicago, 947 miles.

It is 820 miles by rail from San Antonio to El Paso. This is 114 miles greater than the distance from Chicago to Pittsburgh.

The distance from El Paso, Tex., the most eastern point on a direct railroad route, to El Paso, is 644 miles, or three miles less than the distance from New York to Chicago.

The distance from Brownsville, Tex., on the gulf coast, the easternmost point on the Texas-Mexican border, to El Paso, the western terminus of the border, is more than 1,200 miles. This is greater than the distance from New York city to Tampa, Fla., or to Springfield, Ill. It is greater than the distance from New York to St. Louis by 140 miles.—Philadelphia Ledger.

At the Home Place.

The Catcher—And how do you like married life, Jerry? Shortstop (newly wed)—Well, Jake, she's just like an umpire. She never thinks I'm safe when I'm out.—Puck.

Encouragement after censure is as the sun after a shower.—Goethe.

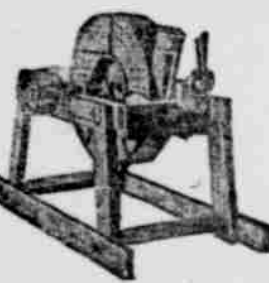
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